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SUBJECT: ANGLO-US CONSULTATIONS ON AFRICA

1. FOLLOWING IS OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH OF LETTER JUST  
RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN OFFICE:

"MARTIN LE QUESNE IS EXTREMELY SORRY BUT, AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE DATES WHICH THE GHANAIS HAVE CHOSEN FOR DEBT NEGOTIATIONS IN ACCRA, HE IS HAVING TO REORGANIZE HIS DIARY FOR JANUARY. THIS MEANS UNFORTUNATELY THAT HE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO VISIT WASHINGTON AS HE HAD VERY MUCH HOPED FOR TALKS WITH MR. DAVID NEWSOM THAT MONTH. MARTIN WONDERS WHETHER IT WOULD NOW BE POSSIBLE FOR HIM TO GO TO WASHINGTON FOR TALKS ON EITHER 14-15 FEBRUARY OR 18-19 FEBRUARY NEXT YEAR."

2. LETTER CLOSES BY APOLOGIZING FOR THIS REQUEST FOR FURTHER SLIPPAGE IN SCHEDULING TALKS AND REMINDS US THAT BRITISH ATTACH CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANCE TO THEM.

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